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DECEIT OF SONG WRITERS.

The man who wrote "Home, Sweet Home," never had a home. - [Exchange. No, of course not. All his folks at home say he didn't. Nobody who writes about anything ever had it. If a man is out of anything he immediately goes and writes about it. No man writes so many "headings" as the second that he can be head is a second to the second that he can be a discovered. Its acts writes so many "headings" as the man who is out of his head.

Certainly he didn't ever have any home. The man who wrote the "Old Arm Chair" never had an arm-chair in his life. The best hundreds of the good and great from all parts of he had was an old split-bottom chair without the country will vouch for its being the purest he had was an old split-bottom chair without any back to it.

The author of "Take Me Back to Switzerland" never was in Switzerland. The nearest he ever came to it was sirting in the William Tell saloon, eating switzer-kase-kase why, that was the best he could do.

"Mother I've Come Home to Die" has not spoken to the old woman for years, and wouldn't go near the house. Besides, he is of that class of spiritualists who don't believe he the most delicate infant, that class of spiritualists who don't believe he will ever die. His health was never better. His mother is nothing but a mother-in-law, and she is dead, anyhow.

There is the author of the "Old Oaken Bucket," too. There wasn't a bucket on the farm, water being drawn with a tin pail and cistern-pole.

"It I Had But a Thousand a Year" stated privately to his friends that he would be contented with half that sum, as he was doing chores for his board and three months' schooling this winter.

The author of "Champagne Charley" never drank anything but ten-cent whiskey. The man who wrote "Mary had a Little

Lrmb" knew very well that it was nothing but a little lamb fry.

"Shells of Ocean" is a humbug. The plaintive poet who represents himself as wandering one summer eve with sea-beat thought, on a pensive shore, was raised in the interior of Pennsylvania, and never ten miles away from home in all his life. "Gathered Shells," did he? All the shells he ever gathered were some egg-shells

back of his mother's kitchen. "Hark, I Hear the Angels Sing," spent all his evenings in a beer saloon. Angels, in-

"Oft in the Stilly Night" used to get on a spree and make the stilly night howl till day-

The author of "We Met by Chance" knew

very well it was arranged before hand. He had been for weeks contriving it-and she admired his contrivance. The author of "I Know a Bank," &c., did

not know one where he could get his note discounted. The only check he ever held was a white check at a faro bank. He never held a red check in all his life. "What are the Wild Waves Saying?" knew

very well that they were reproaching him for running away from Long Branch without paying his hotel bill.

"WIO Will Care for Mother Now?" Who, indeed? You took the old woman to the poorhouse just before writing the song, and there is nobody but the poor master to care for her

"Hear me, Norma," was deaf and dumb. He couldu't make his par hear, nor ma. "My Mother, Dear," used to thrash the old woman within an inch of her life.

The author of "Rain on the Roof" always slept in the basement, except when he slept out

"Let me Kiss Him for His Mother" got mad because his mother would't have him, and whipped her little boy within an inch of his "I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls" used

to cheat at marbles when a boy, and his dream was a horrid nightmare, brought on by the remorse at the recollection of fraudulent marble "I'm Saddest When I Sing" was tickled al-

most to death if invited to.
"Happy Be Thy Dreams" sold benzine whiskey. You can fancy what kind of dreams were produced. - | Fat Contributor.

lingered to talk with her Adolphus after the

replied his saccharine sister, "it's because you're one too many."

Aominister asked a tipsy fellow leaning up against a fence, where he expected to go when he died. "If I can't get along any better than I do now," he said, "I shan't go anywhere. I'll stay where I am!"

If a Texas steer goes a ladd's and a ward of the said of the said and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING PLANING and CARVING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture Wall

If a Texas steer gores a lady's red dress,

what redress has she. - | Iequisitive Philadel-phia Star |. Get madder. That will dye red dress, if it is in gores. Mrs. Swisshelm urges that a proposed gar-

ment, which envelopes the female person from neck to ankles, be called a "chem." Shem on Signor Braga, the violoncellist of the De

operas; yet Braga doesn't brag about it.

From Europe comes the rumors of various clashings. Prussia and Russia are said to be at odds; a Spanish vessel has fired into a French steamer; Austria is at logerheads with the Porte; France is arming, and Germany, every now and then, insults her, just to keep her blood up; the Italian Minister of Foreign Afblood up; the Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs declared, in his speech the other day, "the existence of a party in Europe hostile to Italy;" Denmark bears no good will to Prussia, and the Schleswig question is still unsettled. And yet, when war comes-as come it willnot one of these problems will, in all probability, enter into the cause. These little irritabilities only keep the nations in a fighting

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY. - The James River Coal Company have found the Carbonite or Soft Coke vein, of excellent quality, in an old found. The importance of this discovery can be seen, when we state that they estimate that they can mine from this shaft one hundred thungand tone of this that they estimate that they can mine from this shaft one hundred thungand tone of this characteristic forms and over the hips, is longer from the first time. Landreth considers it of inestimable value. For sale by

E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. thousand tons of this valuable fuel without going deeper than they have now found the vein.

| PRIME PORTO RICO and DEMERARA SUGARS received to-day by sep 14
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Nearly all diseases originate from Indigestion and Torpidity of the Liver, and relief is always anxiously sought after. If the Liver is Regulated in its action, health is almost invariably secured. Want of action in the Liver causes Headache, Constipation, Jaundice, Pain in the Shoulders, Cough, Chills, Dizziness, Sour Stomremedy that has ever been discovered. Its acts mildly, effectually, and being a simple vegetable compound, can do no injury in any quantities that it may be taken. It is harmless in every way; it has been used for FORTY YEARS, and

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Is harmless, Is no drastic violent medicine, Is sure to cure if taken regularly, Is no intoxicating beverage,

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Does not disarrange the system, Takes the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind. Contains the simplest and best remedies.
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Prompt attention given to orders and inquirjan 30 ies from the country.

ESTABLISHED 1792, LEADBEATER & BRO.

The man who wrote the "Song of the Shirt"
hadn't a shirt to his back, wearing a wampus
for the most part.
"Oft in the Stilly Night" used to get on a
sprea and make the stilly night how till day.

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PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD,
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Orders and Inquiries from the country sep 23-tf promptly attended to.

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Our HAIR DEPARTMENT has been re-Murska company, is the composer of nine plenished with all the choice colors, and we are prepared to sell at very low prices.

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NOTICE.

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Lessons in German and Hebrew. For terms, &c., apply at 183 King street, or References—Miss M. A. Rosch, Mr. R. L. Carne, Messrs. Taylor & Blackburn, Mr. J. S. Beach, Drs. R. H. & E. A. Stabler, Dr. Klip-

oct 14-1m VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL AND ME-CHANICAL COLLEGE. ELECTION OF PROFESSOR OF TECHNI-

CAL MECHANICS, DRAWING AND CHEMISTRY. \$2,000.
The Board of Visitors will meet in Richmond The B and of Visitors will meet in Richmond on the 5th of January next, to fill the Professorship above nar 2d. Applicants will send their testimonials to V. E. Shepher, Secretary Board of Visitors, Blacksburg, Montgomery co., V. H. BLACK, Rector. N. B.—Chemistry may be assigned to another

Blacksburg, Montgomery co., oct 5-eolm

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DOORS, SASHES, BLINDS, FRAMES,
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Will buy and trade for Walnut and Ash Logs. RISHEILL & HOOGE, Al xandria, Virginia.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMI SIGNER'S OFFICE, Alexandria Octob Alexandria, October 17, 1874. To Bartholomew Delphy, pla ntiff, and the other creditors of William Grimes, deceased, and George H. Ramey, curator of said decedent's estate, Isaac Grimes, Elizabeth Grimes, Johnson Grimes and the unknown heirs of Henry Grimes, deceased, defendants.
You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon

MONDAY, the 16th day of November, 1874, if fair, if not on the next sairday thereafter (Sunday excepted) to take, at my office, in the Mar-ket House building in the city of Alexandria, Va., an account of the administration of the es-tate of said William Grimes by said George H. Kamey, and of the debts outstanding against said estate, with their priorities, if any, and an account of the real estate left by the said William Grimes, to which his heirs may be now entitled, with the liens on the same, if any, with their priorities, required to be taken by the decree of the Corporation Court for said city, rendered on the 18th day of Soutember 1874, in a suit in the 16th day of September, 1874, in a suit in chancery depending in said court, in which Bartholomew Delphy is plaintiff, and G. H. Ramey curator, and others are defendants, at which time and place you are required to attend. Given under my hand, as Special Commission-

er, appointed by said decree the day and year first aforesaid. GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,

Special Commissioner. ONE DOLLAR CORSET.



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MEETINGS.

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A LEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY. The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY will be held at their office, No. 75 Prince street, on MONDAY, the 2d of November, at twelve o'clock m.

T. D. FENDALL, oct 21-td

WASHINGTON AND OHIO R. R. CO.

The Annual General Meeting of the Wash ington and Ohio Railroad Company will be held on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of November, 1874, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of the Company, in Alexandria. oct 17-cotd R. JOHNSTON, Clerk. OTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA and FREDERICKSBURG RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the office of Francis L. Smith, esq, corner Wolfe and St. Asaph streets, in Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, November 10, 1874, at ten o'clock a. m. Election for President and Directors same developed place.

day and place. oct 9-wtd ALBERT HEWSON, Sect'y.

C. MILBURN, Wholesale and Retail GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT

CO.H. HISSIGN MERCHANTS.

No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space, Alexandria, Vs. Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. aug 24

R. M. LAWSON, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 69 Cameron street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds. ash advances made on Grain in store. Consignments solicited. R. B. LAWSON & CO.,

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Special attention paid to the sale of Wheat, Flour and Country Produce. Orders for Gro-ceries, Plaster, Seeds and Salt filled at market Agents for PATAPSCO GUANO. [sep3-tf

THOMAS PERRY, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA. aug 16-tf

GEO. WASHINGTON.

R. J. WASHINGTON.

ASHINGTON & BROTHER, COMMISSION MERCHANTS NO. 20 UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them.

l'rompt returns made. W. A. SMOOT,

COAL, SALT AND PLASTER SMOOT'S WHARF, (Foot of Princess st.,)

Alexandria, Virginia. feb 21-tf HOOE & JOHNSTON.

(Successors to Fowle & Co.,) NO. 2 PRINCE STREET. GENERAL COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERC'TS. Dealers in all kinds of FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER Agents of the NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS. Also of the LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN SURANCE COMPANY.

feb 5-tf

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Alexandria, Va. Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of FAMILY FLOUR. Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT." jan 5-tf

J. LANNON. J. BRODERS. BRODERS & CO.. No. 11 King street, Alexandria, Va.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Wholesale Dealers in

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS,

SALT FISH, and PRODUCE. Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.

Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baitimore and Potomac Transportation line.

FALL TRADE OF 1874.

We would respectsully call the attention of country merchants and others to our large and well assorte stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Acids, Patent Medicines, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass and everything usually found in a first class drug establishment—all of which we are prepared to sell to responsible buyers at lowest market rates and on favorable terms. JANNEY & CO.

NEW GOODS-Received this day: Bermu-da Arrow Root, Indigo, Husband's Magperfect fitting offered to the makers rec-being the best being the best mere Bouquet Soap, Slate Sponges, Russia dress over, be- Salve, Sea Island Twine, Canary Seed, Importin such a man-front and back seams to a Saltpetre, White Mustard Seed and English Bi-carb Soda. [-ct 10] JANNEY & CO.

set now in use caller style of sufficient full-bosom, with-100 LBS INDIGO received this day and for sale in quantities to suit by oct 13 HENRY COOK & CO.

Also 500,000 WHITE OAK SPOKES at an ADVANCE OF 25 PER CENT on my old in store and for sale by W. F BROOKES, by 20-3m.

E. ROSENTHAL. oct 27

FIRST GRAND GIFT CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

GIFT CONCERT.

Montpelier Female Humane Association,

AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

NOVEMBER 23, 1874.

LIST OF GIFTS.

1 Grand Cash Gift..... \$100,000 1 Grand Cash Gift...... 50,000 75,000 50 Cash Gifts, 1,000 each..... 50,000 500 each..... 100 Cash Gifts, 100 each...... 100,000 1,000 Cash Gifts, 50 (00) 1,000 Cash Gifts, 20 each 400,000 20,000 Cash Gifts,

Number of Tickets, 100,000.

22,178 Cash Gifts, amounting to\$1,000,000

PRICE OF TICKETS.

Whole Tickets..... Halves 10 00

The Montpelier Female Humane Association, chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Orange county, proposes, by a series of Grand Gift Concerts, to establish and endow a 'Home for the Old, Infirm and Destitute Ladies of Virginia," at Montpelier, the former residence of President Jas. Madison.

The Association is under the control of eight trustees, six of whom are elected bi ennially by the stockholders and two appointed by the Gov-

the stockholders and two appointed by the Governor of Virginia.

References by permission: His Excellency, James L. Kemper, Governor of Virginia; His Excellency, Gilbert C. Walker, ex-Gov. of Va; Hon. Robert E. Withers, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia and U. S. Senator elect; Hen Kabt. W. Hughes, Judge Eastern District of Virginia; Senators and Members of Congress from Virginia.

Governor's Office, Richmond, July 2, It affords me pleasure to say that i am well acquainted with a large majority of the efficers of the Montpelier Female Humane Association who reside in the vicinity of my home, and 1 attest their intelligence and their worth and high reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public line will do well by giving me a call. confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them. JAMES L. KEMPER, Gov. of Virginia

Alexandria, Va., July 8th, 1874. My personal acquaintance with a majority of the gentlemen controlling the Montpeter Fe-male Humane Association and the reputation of ail of them enables me to commend them as fully entitled to the confidence of the public. No set or regresentation inconsistent with honor and integrity need be app chended in the conduct or representations of these gentlemen.
R. W. BUGHES.

U. S. Judge East. Dist. of Va. For full particulars, testimonials, &c., send

Remittances for tickets may be made by express pre-paid, posteffice money order on Alexandria, Va., or by registered letter, addressed Bon. JAMES BARBOUR, President M. F. H. A., Alexandria, Va. Reliable Agents wanted everywhere.

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CHEAP PIANOS AND ORGANS. 1 German Piano..... \$60 00

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aug 11

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GILT, SATIN AND BLANK. for large or small rooms. The cheapest lot of Wall Papers ever offered &c. Call and examine. in this city.

Call soon if you want to get bargains. They will be sold much below cost to close them out.

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my 15 No. 158 King street. KID GLOVES! I have just opened my Fall and Winter stock of Kid Gioves. My stock is the largest and va-riety greater than ever before offered in this city. All numbers, from 52 to 83, and in every shade. A full line of Black Gloves constantly on hand,

plain and stitched backs. Agent for the Jose phine Seamless Gloves, acknowledged to be the best Glove in the market. All prices, from \$1 to \$2.25 Call at C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st. ASK FOR WINES AND BRANDIES,

M. B. BUCK, BELMONT VINEYARDS Front Royal, Va. They are good, sound, cheap and healthful. For sale in Alexandria by Lawson, Janney, Cook, Creighton, Green, Cooney and others. Generally with first class druggists. Your physician will tell you they are safe and good. sep 24-6m

MOSQUITO NET! MOSQUITO NET! New and Improved Mosquito Net, Canopies, Mosquito Net Fixtures and Patent-finish Scanless Nettings, for large or small bedsteads—the best stock of goods in this line ever off red in this city. Long experience enables us to maintain our reputation.

J. P. CLARKE, No. 158 King st. 1,000 TONS

SUMAC WANTED At the highest market price for eash. 107 King street. | Also 500,000 WHITE OAK SPOKES at an

AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE-In pursuance of a deed of trust from Jacob Muddiman and wife, dated the tirst day of February, 1872, I shall proceed to sell, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the Sist day of October, at 12 o'clock m., the two-story BRICK TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND named thereic, situated on the northeast corner of Alfred and Wolfe sts oct 21-td ALLEN C. HAR aON, Trustee.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE. By virtue of a deed of trust from John S. Owens, hearing date the Sth day of July, 1865, and of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Prince William county, to secure the payment of a certain debt therein mentioned, I

shall, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November next, at Haymarket, offer at public sale that valuable farm known as STONECASTLE. This farm sees in Prince William county, about three miles north of Haymarket, a station on the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R., containing about seven hundred and thirty-five acres of hand of most excellent quanty, with abundance of weed; is well watered, and the IMPROVE-

MEN'S are comfortable.

The terms of sale will be: One third cash, one third in one year, and one third in two years, with interest on deferred payments from day of sale. Title to be retained until the whole is paid. Sale to take place at 12 m.

THOS, HENDERSON, Trustee.

Prince William co, cct 20-eots

FINANCIAL. W. D. CORSE,

STOCK, SACHANGE AND COLLEC-TION BROKER. Will deal in Gold and Silver Coin, State, City and Kalfrond Securities. Will execute orders for any Stocks or Bonds on the Flock Boards of New York or Baitimore

Virginia Coupons, receivable for taxes, for sale. Agent for the MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-ANCE CO., of New York. EDUKKE & HERBERT,

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Any information in regard to investments cheerfully given. I AVING concluded to close out my busi-STOVES, RANGES, FURNACES, TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON WARE.

PERCENT BONDS.

to call on me before purchasing elsewhere, where they can get them at TWENTY PER CENT LESS than the regular price. My stock embraces the very best that can be found, and I intend to close out at very low figures. Country merchants and others in want of anything in my

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